

EXHIBIT 3

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
NORFOLK DIVISION

KATHLEEN KITTERMAN,
ANNA CRONIN,
CORRIE BALL,
MARVIN BALL,
MARGARET BROGAN and
EVAN JONES,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

CASE NO.: 2:12cv146

CLAUDIO TOVAR-GUZMAN,
FORTINO GARCIA AND SONS
HARVESTING, INC., and,
KUZZEN'S,

Defendants.



DEPOSITION OF MARIA JIMENEZ

Taken on Behalf of the Plaintiffs

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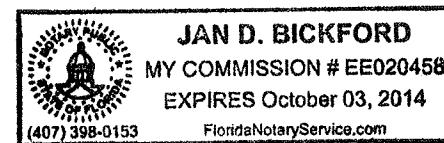
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4 COUNTY OF COLLIER)5
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1 takes care of those payroll services?

2 A Yes.

3 Q And for people working for Kuzzen's who are below
4 the foreman level, LFC Agricultural Services takes care of
5 those workers --

6 A Yes.

7 Q -- Kuzzen's workers?

8 A That are working at a Kuzzen's, yes.

9 Q Okay. Does Kuzzen's actually employ anybody?

10 A No.

11 Q Okay.

12 MR. BAKER: This is John Baker. What was the
13 answer to that question?

14 MR. CASEY: She said, "no."

15 MR. BAKER: Okay.

16 BY MR. BROGAN:

17 Q So everybody who works on Kuzzen's farms is
18 either employed by LFC Management Services, Inc., or LFC
19 Agricultural Services, Inc.?

20 A Correct.

21 Q Okay. Now, are you employed by any other entity?

22 A No.

23 Q Okay. So do you know whether Kuzzen's files a
24 consolidated tax return -- or I guess I should be asking
25 whether Lipman files a consolidated tax return?

1 a worker in the field receives this notification letter
2 and does nothing about it, do you wait until you get
3 another letter from the Social Security Administration?

4 A I don't know what it is that they do, but I -- I
5 don't know what it is that they do.

6 Q Okay. I would like to turn your attention to
7 some other documents we received.

8 MR. BROGAN: Hey, guys, I'm handing her what we
9 have been given from Kuzzen's, identified as
10 Kuzzens-004 through, I guess, -85. Yeah, through -85.

11 (Exhibit No. 2 was marked for identification.)

12 BY MR. BROGAN:

13 Q Here we go. This is -- Exhibit 2 is a -- has
14 written on the top of it "Payroll Detail Report, LFC
15 Agricultural Services, Inc." It's also identified as, on
16 the side, Kuzzens-00004 through Kuzzens-00085?

17 A Okay.

18 Q Okay. I have a few questions regarding this.

19 And this is -- can you tell me the name of
20 individual for whom this payroll report is printed?

21 A It is Claudio Tovar-Guzman -- or I'm sorry.
22 Yeah, Tovar-Guzman, yes.

23 Q Okay. Okay. Well, now I guess you admit that
24 Claudio Tovar-Guzman was an employee of LFC Agricultural
25 Services, at least for the dates that are identified in

1 here?

2 A Yes.

3 Q Okay. And let me start off with -- with the top.

4 What is -- the entry number, what's that number?

5 What does it identify?

6 A Entry number? I don't work in payroll, but --

7 Q Okay.

8 A -- from my understanding it is whenever a payroll
9 is entered into the payroll system, that -- that's what
10 the entry number is -- it stands for. Whenever Claudio
11 Tovar-Guzman was in -- whenever that payroll for -- the
12 first line, the back pay hourly, it was entered in, it was
13 saved as 21739. It's an automated number that just gets
14 assigned to it.

15 Q Okay. So that's particular to Claudio Guzman?

16 A Yes.

17 Q Okay. So --

18 A And it may include other individuals. It's
19 not -- he may be the only one. He may have some -- you
20 know, there may have been other individuals that may have
21 been saved.

22 Q Okay. So just a way to find it in the -- in the
23 software?

24 A Yes. Correct.

25 Q Okay. Fair enough. When it says "Work Date," I

1 take it that's the date the individual worked?

2 A Yes.

3 Q Or would that be the date he was paid?

4 A The day the individual worked.

5 Q Okay. And this "Multi Chk," I guess -- I guess
6 if it was more than one check, it would say two or three
7 or something?

8 A Yes.

9 Q Okay. And then "St," the state in which he was
10 working at the time?

11 A Correct.

12 Q So if it says "Virginia," would he have been
13 working at Kuzzen's Virginia farm?

14 A Yes.

15 Q If it said "South" -- or "SC," that would have
16 been Kuzzen's farm in South Carolina?

17 A Yes.

18 Q Okay. This "Min Guar," do you know what that
19 means?

20 A I believe it's minimum wage guaranteed.

21 Q Okay. I'll come back to that.

22 And then "Ag" --

23 A I don't know.

24 Q -- means he's an agriculture worker?

25 A I'm not -- I don't know.

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23 STATE OF FLORIDA)
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6 I, Jan D. Bickford, Court Reporter and Notary Public
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